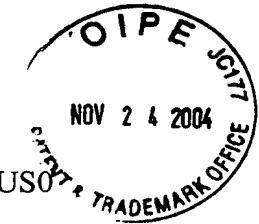


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In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2004, Applicants file concurrently herewith a Request for Continued Examination and request entry of the Amendment and reconsideration of outstanding rejections.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendments and Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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